



SC Annual School Report Card Summary

HANAHAN ELEMENTARY

Berkeley

Grades: PK-4

Enrollment: 976

Principal: Thomas L. Sparkman

Superintendent: Dr. Anthony Parker

Board Chair: Kathy Schwalbe

PERFORMANCE

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YEAR	ABSOLUTE RATING	GROWTH RATING	PALMETTO GOLD AND SILVER AWARD		AYP STATUS	NCLB IMPROVEMENT STATUS
			General Performance	Closing the Gap		
2010	Excellent	Excellent	TBD	TBD	Met	N/A
2009	Good	Good	Silver	Silver	Met	N/A
2008	Good	Good	Silver	Silver	Not Met	N/A

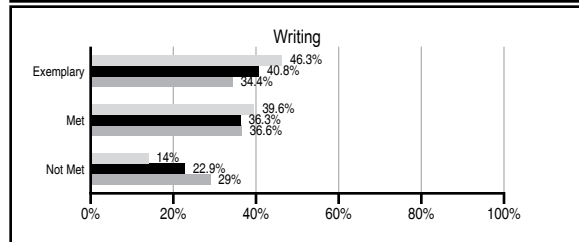
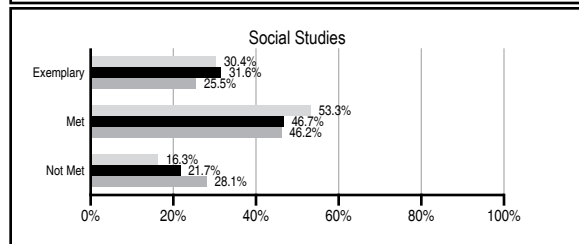
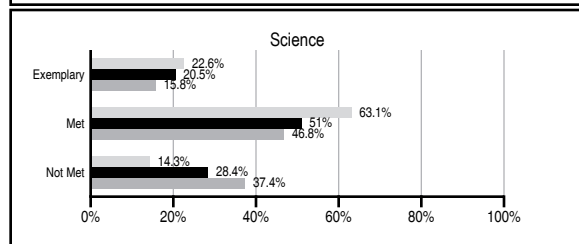
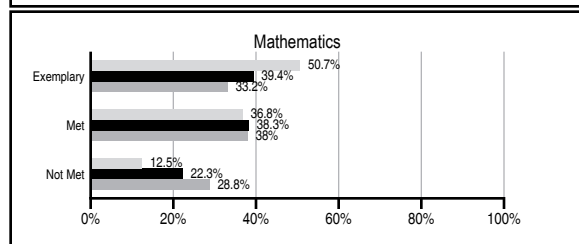
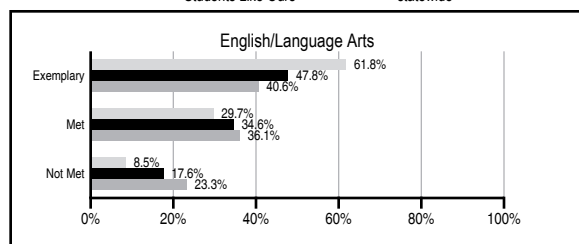
ABSOLUTE RATINGS OF ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS WITH STUDENTS LIKE OURS*

EXCELLENT	GOOD	AVERAGE	BELOW AVERAGE	AT-RISK
23	36	30	0	0

* Ratings are calculated with data available by 03/09/2011. Schools with Students Like Ours are Elementary Schools with Poverty Indices of no more than 5% above or below the index for this school.

PASS PERFORMANCE

Our School Elementary Schools with Students Like Ours Elementary schools statewide



NAEP PERFORMANCE*

* Performance reported for SC and nation, data not available at school level. Percentages at NAEP Achievement Levels.



SC PERFORMANCE GOAL

2010 Goal:

By 2010, SC's student achievement will be ranked in the top half of the states nationally. To achieve this goal, we must become one of the fastest improving systems in the country.

2020 Vision:

By 2020 all students will graduate with the knowledge and skills necessary to compete successfully in the global economy, participate in a democratic society and contribute positively as members of families and communities.

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HANAHAN ELEMENTARY [Berkeley]

SCHOOL PROFILE

	Our School	Change from Last Year	Elementary Schools with Students Like Ours	Median Elementary School
Students (n=976)				
Retention rate	1.7%	Down from 3.9%	1.2%	1.2%
Attendance rate	96.3%	Down from 96.8%	96.2%	96.1%
Eligible for gifted and talented	17.9%	Up from 15.2%	15.7%	11.7%
With disabilities other than speech	9.9%	Up from 9.5%	7.9%	8.0%
Older than usual for grade	0.0%	Down from 0.1%	0.3%	0.4%
Out-of-school suspensions or expulsions for violent and/or criminal offenses	0.0%	No Change	0.0%	0.0%
Teachers (n=56)				
Teachers with advanced degrees	51.8%	Down from 55.0%	61.1%	60.5%
Continuing contract teachers	80.4%	Down from 81.7%	86.2%	84.6%
Teachers with emergency or provisional certificates	0.0%	No Change	0.0%	0.0%
Teachers returning from previous year	86.7%	Up from 85.5%	89.1%	87.0%
Teacher attendance rate	94.3%	Down from 94.5%	95.5%	95.4%
Average teacher salary*	\$48,113	Down 1.5%	\$48,021	\$47,288
Classes not taught by highly qualified teachers	0.0%	No Change	0.0%	0.0%
Professional development days/teacher	10.3 days	Up from 6.5 days	10.7 days	10.5 days
School				
Principal's years at school	16.0	Up from 15.0	4.0	4.0
Student-teacher ratio in core subjects	21.7 to 1	Up from 20.0 to 1	19.9 to 1	19.2 to 1
Prime instructional time	90.6%	Down from 91.4%	90.6%	90.8%
Opportunities in the arts	Good	No Change	Good	Good
SACS accreditation	Yes	No Change	Yes	Yes
Parents attending conferences	100.0%	No Change	100.0%	100.0%
Character development program	Good	Down from Excellent	Excellent	Excellent
Dollars spent per pupil**	\$6,105	Up 11.2%	\$7,101	\$7,548
Percent of expenditures for instruction**	67.0%	Down from 70.3%	68.8%	68.7%
Percent of expenditures for teacher salaries**	64.2%	Down from 66.0%	65.5%	65.1%
% of AYP objectives met	100.0%	No Change	100.0%	100.0%

* Length of contract = 185+ days.

** Prior year audited financial data available.

EVALUATION RESULTS

	Teachers	Students*	Parents*
Number of surveys returned	55	193	158
Percent satisfied with learning environment	100.0%	97.4%	94.2%
Percent satisfied with social and physical environment	100.0%	95.9%	94.2%
Percent satisfied with school-home relations	100.0%	95.9%	90.3%

*Only students at the highest elementary school grade level at this school and their parents were included.

REPORT OF PRINCIPAL AND SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT COUNCIL

Hanahan Elementary School is home to a diverse population of approximately 1,000 students in Pre-K through fourth grade. An outstanding PTA, a highly successful volunteer program, and approximately 30 active business partners are testimonies to the community's firm commitment to quality education. The energy, enthusiasm, and expertise of the faculty and staff are the backbone of our school's success.

A tradition of excellence has been established at Hanahan Elementary, as evidenced by receiving the Palmetto Silver Award for 2006, 2007, 2008 and 2009, twelve school incentive awards, and two honorable mentions from the State Board of Education. HES was recognized nationally with two prestigious awards in 2007, the highly acclaimed Blue Ribbon Lighthouse Award and the SMART Showcase School. The Blue Ribbon Lighthouse Award is based on key educational elements, sustained success, and effectiveness as a high-performing school. SMART Showcase recognized HES as a leader in the adoption and integration of technology. We have been honored with the Red Carpet Award, the Exemplary Writing Program Hall of Fame Award, and also the Governor's Reading Honor Roll Award. Our school was named a finalist for the Palmetto's Finest Award in 2001, 2003, and again in 2004. HES became an Arts in Basic Education (ABC) site with funding from a grant for the South Carolina Arts Commission. Two more teachers have earned National Board Certification, bringing our number to fourteen teachers who have received this prestigious certification. A very successful mentor program, Lunch Buddies, was established with the City of Hanahan.

Our teachers combine traditional educational approaches with current research and innovative programs to provide a well-rounded education. Our Schoolwide reading program allows students and teachers to create individual reading goals determined by the student's independent reading level. The EAGLE (gifted and talented) curriculum challenges students in grades three and four. Junior Achievement and Kids Who Care are used to enrich the curriculum. Tools for Citizenship and Life, a character-education program, has been implemented schoolwide to emphasize valuable life skills. All students are exposed to the arts through the MOSAIC program (using arts to fight racism). A Spanish interpreter and ESOL teacher assist in the classroom with our growing Spanish population and implement a morning tutoring program. A Curriculum Coach provides curriculum support to the faculty, as well as assisting with the school-improvement initiatives.

The school is equipped with SMART Board technology in every classroom, two fully-equipped computer labs, and a minimum of three networked computers in each classroom. Hanahan Elementary School exemplifies quality education in South Carolina. As we face the challenges of the twenty-first century, we strive to educate each student to his maximum potential in an active learning environment supported by community involvement.

Thomas L. Sparkman, Principal
Bridgett Mueller, SIC President

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